of Maryland Gent in the just Summe of thirty two thousand eight Liber M M hundred & eighty pounds of good Sound merchantable leafe tobacco & caske to be paid at Some convenient place betweene the mouth of Broad Creeke and Bullingbrooke Creeke in Great Choptanck River upon demand being for a valuable consideration already in hand received to be paid to the said Henry Tripp or to his certaine Attorny his heirs executrs & admrs to the which payment well & truly to be made & done he the said John did bind himselfe his heirs executors adm<sup>rs</sup> firmly by those p<sup>r</sup>sents notwithstanding which the said John Ingram the said summe of thirty two thousand eight hundred & eighty pounds of tobacco according to the tenor of the Said writeing Obligatory hath not paid though often thereunto required but the same to pay hitherto hath and Still doth altogether deny to the damage of the Said Henry thirty Six thousand pounds of tobacco & thereupon he bringeth his Suite.

And the said John by Vincent Lowe his Attorny cometh and defendeth the force & injury when &c and prayeth liberty of Speakeing hereunto untill the next Provinciall Court & it is granted him the same day is given to both parties here.

Att which said next Provinciall Court to wit the five and twentith day of November in the 44th yeare of the Dominion of Caecilius &c Came the said Henry by his Attorny aforesaid & Offered himselfe against the said John in the plea aforesaid but the said John came not but made default therefore it is considered by the Court here that the said Henry Tripp recover against the said John Ingram aswell the said Summe of thirty two thousand eight hundred & eighty pounds of tobacco the debt aforesaid as also the Summe of five hundred and foure pounds of tobacco costs of Suite & the Said John in mercy &c.

Henry Tripp

Peter Underwood late of Talbott County other-Peter Underwood wise called Peter Underwood of Great Choptanck River in the Province of Maryland planter was Sumoned to answer unto Henry Tripp in a

plea that he render unto him the summe of Six thousand two hundred & fifty One pounds of tobacco which to him he oweth & unjustly deteineth

And whereupon the said Henry by Kenelm Cheseldyn his Attorny Saith that whereas the said Peter Underwood the foure & twentith day of ffebruary in the yeare One thousand Six hundred Seventy three did by his certaine writeing Obligatory Sealed with the seale p. 632 of the Said Peter here in Court produced whose date is the same day & yeare abovewritten bind himselfe his heirs executors administrators to pay or cause to be paid unto Henry Tripp of Little Choptanck River in the Province aforesaid his heirs executors admrs assignes or lawfull Attorny in the full and just Summe of Six